

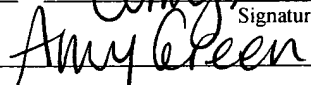


IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Roy S. Bondurant, Don M. Boronson and Daniel V. Murphy
Application No.: 10/768,395 Group: 2613
Filed: January 30, 2004 Examiner: Leslie C. Pascal
Confirmation No.: 3796
For: LINCOLN DISTRIBUTED OPTICAL RECEIVER ARRAY

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Transmitted herewith is a Reply for filing in the above-identified application.

- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a Small Entity Statement previously submitted.
- ☐ A Small Entity Statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

The claims fee has been calculated as shown below:

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* not fewer than 20
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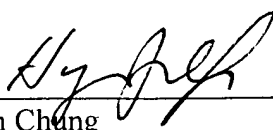
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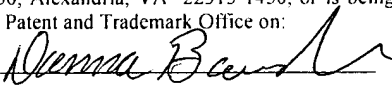
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This Amendment is being filed in response to the Office Action mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on November 29, 2006 in the above-identified application. Reconsideration and further examination are requested.